

THE EVENING NEWS.

THIRD YEAR—NO 911.

BENTON HARBOR, MICH., MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1898.

TWO CENTS

A large bankrupt stock of SHOT GUNS and RIFLES of all kinds for sale at

JACKSON'S GUN STORE

108 Water street, Benton Harbor, Mich.

Remember that I keep all kinds of hunting fishing and sporting goods on hand and that I will not be undersold by any dealer in Southwestern Michigan. Winchester repeating rifles all sizes at \$10, \$11 and \$14 each; see the old and new models. Quackenbush 22 calibre and other target guns; Winchester repeating shot gun, 6 shots, at \$17; one Parker Bros. double barrel shot gun, second-hand at \$17.50 and I have double barrel breech loading shot guns, both 10 and 12 gauge at \$7, \$9, \$11 and \$12 each; single barrel breech loaders, both new and second-hand at \$3, \$5 and \$7 each; muzzle loading shot guns at the lowest prices, loaded paper shells 12, 16, 20, 28 gauge, a loader at 35 cents per box. I have the Quick shots, Rivals and U. M. C. in large stock, so that you can be sure on shot sizes: a full and complete line of Winchester, Colts and Marlin rifle cartridges at winning prices; 24 different sizes of revolver cartridges, B. B. Floberts and Blanks. Lath & Rand's shot gun; rifle and blasting powder, smokeless powder for rifles and shot guns; shot gun fixtures; brass shells, loaded and unloaded; buck, common shot and bar lead; reloading tools for rifles and shot guns, cartridge belts and shell bags, hunting coats, vests, and hats, canvas game bags and belts for hunters, powder flasks and shot pouches; primers, snipe, turkey and duck calls, shot gun shells, loaded with smokeless powder; bowie knives and knives for hunters, pasteboard and felt wads, waterproof and G. D. gun caps. All kinds of new and second-hand revolvers. My leaders are 22 rim fire at \$1.50, 32 and 38 center fire at \$1.50. These guns are all of the Bulldog pattern and they are all right. I am selling today the 32 and 38 center fire both blue and nickel, 5 and 6 shot rubber handle rifle barrel, fluted cylinder, break down, shell ejector, 4 1/2 inch barrel. Smith & Wesson pattern for \$3.75. You can have a large stock of Iver Johnson Harrington & Richardson to select from. And how is that for a leader or guns? Holsters for revolvers and cases for guns and rifles, dark lanterns for con hunters and New-house traps for trappers; compasses boxing gloves, iron and maple dumb bells, punching bags, foot balls, all kinds and sizes sling shots, billies, and knuckles, dog chains, collars and muzzles.

All Kinds of Shot Guns and Rifles To Rent by the Day or Week.

See my Marlin safety rifles of all sizes, air rifles and B. B. shot for air rifles, sling shots, rubbers and anything that will shoot, you will find it at Jackson's. One 7x7 and 1 7x9 wedge tents for sale cheap. If you have got a good rifle, shot gun or revolver and want to sell it I will buy it.

Unredeemed Gold and Silver Watches of All Kinds.

eventy-seven solid gold rings, banjos, guitars and violins at 1/2 first cost. Trading men look over my watch stock. I can always stock you up on bargains. I have dealt in hunting, hunting and sporting goods in Benton Harbor for years. I buy cheaper than any other dealer and I will not be undersold. SECOND-HAND BOOKS WANTED. I do not handle school books. After November 1st I will pay the best market price for all kinds of raw furs, and remember that I loan money on all kinds of personal property, and I always have about 14 wagon loads of second-hand truck of all kinds for sale.

CHAS. A. JACKSON

Dealer in Almost Everything.

WAS DEFEATED.

Coloma Voted Bond Proposition Down.

At the election held here Friday the proposition to vote \$10,000 in bonds to assist the Benton Harbor, Coloma & Paw Paw lake road to extend its line to Saugatuck via of South Haven was voted down 2 to 1.

The scheme of extending the road has been dropped for the present.

SAIL FOR MANILA.

Battleship Texas Will Relieve Dewey's Flagship.

By Telegraph to Evening News.

Washington, Sept. 12.—The battleship Texas will probably go to Manila and relieve the Olympia, Dewey's flagship, which needs a thorough overhauling. Work on the Iowa and Oregon is being rushed. According to schedule the Texas will sail for Honolulu via the straits of Magellan September 20.

YELLOW FEVER.

James Crago is Recovering From the Dreaded Disease.

James Crago who formerly lived with his parents in this city but who now resides in Lawton is a member of Co. L, 33d regiment.

Mr. Crago was taken ill while in Cuba with yellow fever and was left in a hospital when his regiment sailed for the United States.

Word was received here today that Mr. Crago arrived at his home in Lawton this morning and although very weak the attending physician says he will recover.

Markets Today.

By Telegraph to Evening News.

Chicago, Sept. 12.—The markets today are: Wheat 63 1/2; corn 29 1/2; oats 20 1/2; rye 45 1/2.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Brown Quinine Tablets. All
transient colds and fevers are cured by
this. The genuine has L. & O. on each tablet.

SONS OF VETERANS

They May Make Room for Heroes of Spanish War.

Omaha, Sept. 12.—The national encampment of the Sons of Veterans convened here today. Oberdorf of New York, Shepard of Illinois, and Jones of Ohio are the leading candidates for commander in chief.

A proposition to admit to membership the men who enlisted for war with Spain will be submitted

A TERRIBLE FIRE.

Several Killed and Two Thousand Rendered Homeless.

By Telegraph to Evening News.

Vancouver, Sept. 12.—Four bodies have been taken from the ruins of Sunday's fire at Westminster. Large quantities of provisions are arriving on every train. Two thousand are homeless. Temporary abodes have been erected for their accommodation.

The total number of dead is now placed at ten.

ANOTHER WAR.

Chili and Argentine are Preparing for War.

By Telegraph to Evening News.

Valparaiso, Sept. 12.—It is believed that a conflict between Chili and the Argentine Republic cannot be avoided.

Both countries are making feverish preparations for war. The boundary dispute is the cause of the friction.

For diseases of the nose and throat, Dr. Rauschbaum, St. Joseph.

32D MICHIGAN WILL SPEND NEXT SUNDAY AT ISLAND LAKE

Camp Wheeler, Huntsville, Ala., Sept. 12.—Nothing definite is known here as to when the 32d will start for Michigan, except that it is to go this week. It is the general opinion that it will not get away before Thursday, and the boys do not like it, because that means spending Sunday at Island Lake and most of them would rather meet their friends at home than with a Sunday excursion.

COOLEY DEAD.

Eminent Michigan Jurist Died This Morning.

He Was One of Michigan's Best Known Men.

By Telegraph to Evening News.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Sept. 12.—Ex-Judge Thomas Cooley, one of the best known jurists of Michigan and ex-chairman of the interstate commerce commission, died here this morning.

PEACE COMMISSION.

They Will Sail For France Next Saturday.

By Telegraph to Evening News.

Washington, Sept. 12.—The American peace commissioners will assemble here Thursday to organize and will sail for France Saturday.

San Juan, Sept. 12.—The Spanish military commissioners called upon the American commissioners today.

TWO ARRESTS.

Agent Mahoney Causes Just Punishment.

Saturday evening a man named H. Miller, who lives in Grand Rapids or Holland, vilely abused Agent James Mahoney of the West Michigan because some freight had not been unloaded from a car. The fellow tore around and Mr. Mahoney telephoned to Chief Hepler who took the fellow in charge.

Sunday Mr. Mahoney and his wife accompanied by another lady were walking down Water street near the Territorial street corner, where a number of rowdies were standing in front of a saloon. One of the gang deliberately ran into one of the ladies with Mr. Mahoney and the latter grabbed him by the collar and was about to administer a good thrashing when he saw Officer Thora and gave the fellow over to the police. The fellow was William Cissinger, a clerk in a St. Joseph drug store. He furnished bonds and Mr. Mahoney has offered not to appear against him if he writes a letter of apology to the lady he insulted.

HE IS MAD.

Assassin of Austria's Empress Tries to Commit Suicide.

By Telegraph to Evening News.

Geneva, Sept. 12.—The assassin of the empress is being closely watched to prevent him from committing suicide. He became wildly excited during the night, shouted anarchist songs indulged in tirades against society and exulted over the crime.

A stubborn cough or tickling in the throat yields to One Minute Cough Cure. Harmless in effect, touches the right spot, reliable and just what is wanted. It acts at once. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

SOLDIER DEAD.

Harry Edwards, a One Time Benton Harbor Boy, Died in California.

Word has been received in this city by relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Edwards of Downers Grove, Ill., that their son Harry, who enlisted with a California regiment, died in the hospital of typhoid fever, one day last week.

Harry was the oldest son of W. H. Edwards who for many years conducted a grocery store in the building now occupied by Herr Bros., on East Main street. The family have the sympathy of a wide circle of friends and acquaintances here.

GOES BEGGING.

Jobs on War Investigation Committee Not Wanted.

By Telegraph to Evening News.

Washington, Sept. 12.—The president is experiencing considerable difficulty in securing a commission to inquire into the alleged abuses of the war department. It is said that ex-Secretary Lamont, Robert T. Lincoln and Gen. Gordon have refused to serve. The president will make an effort to have the investigation completed before congress meets.

NEW HOTEL.

It Will be Built Near St. Joseph.

A large summer hotel will be built along the Lake Shore drive on the property owned by Judge Freeman of Chicago. It will be a large house with modern conveniences.

DIED IN CHICAGO.

Claud Ayers of this City Dies Unexpectedly.

Claud Ayers of this city went to Chicago three weeks ago to take treatment for consumption and word was received this morning that he was dead. The immediate cause of death was heart disease.

Mr. Ayers was about 23 years old and a young man of excellent possibilities. He was an earnest and efficient member of the First Methodist church and will be missed by a large circle of friends. He leaves a father and mother, who reside on Columbus avenue, a brother, Ray, the Adams express agent and a sister, Mrs. B. S. Alley.

The remains will be brought to Benton Harbor for burial.

Buy a 5c Express lead pencil at Wallace Bros. and get a bicycle free.

..FERRY & RAPP.. Busy . Department . Store Ladies' Jackets and Collarets



Our full line of Jackets and Collarets are now in, and a very attractive assortment it makes. Here are a few items of special interest:

Ladies' Boucle Jacket for \$4.48
Ladies' Beaver Jacket for \$4.48
Ladies' Fur Collarets for \$2.39

Dress Goods

We announce an event of more than ordinary importance in this department—the latest weaves and colorings at exceptional values.

We have on sale our full line of Underwear, Hosiery, Gloves, Dress Trimmings, Lining, Blankets, Comforters, etc

Groceries...

No department of our store enjoys, or deserves a wider popularity than the Grocery Department. Just now it is offering Special Bargains every day.

TUESDAY, ONE DAY ONLY

Mason cans 1 qt. 45c doz, 2 qt. 60c doz

A Good Investment...

Is a pair of shoes that will wear properly, fit properly and show the proper style until they are worn out.

When you make an investment of this kind in footwear, it is money well invested.

Why not be wise and spend your money for shoes in the proper way?

Our new line of Men's Box Calf at \$3.00 a pair is the satisfactory kind that will EARN every dollar you invest in them.

They will serve you faithfully, fit you properly and tell the world every day in the week that you are up-to-date in your dress.

What more can we offer you at the price?

Suppose you invest in a pair today and by so doing step into a good thing?

...MILES

THE WEATHER.

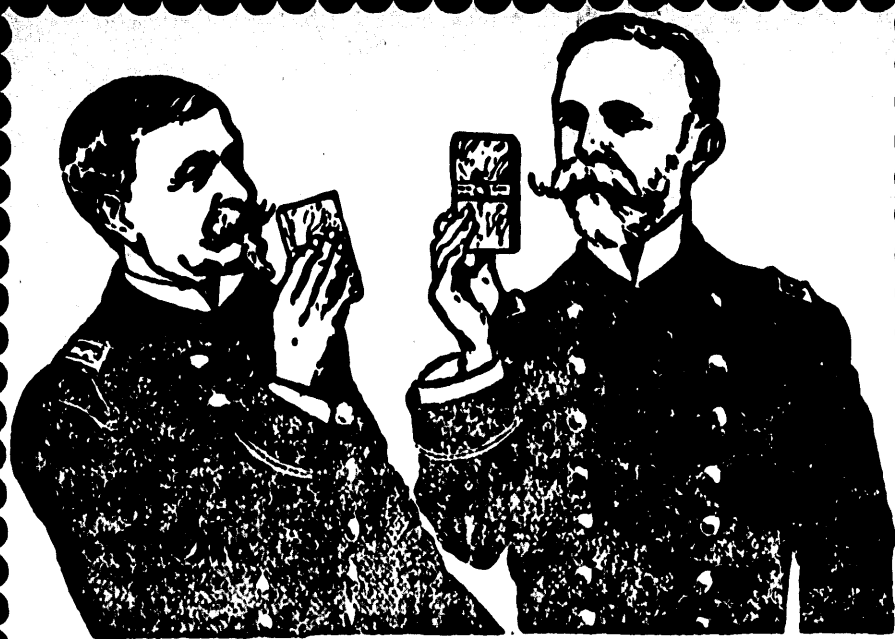
Warmer. Probable showers Tuesday.

Special School Shoes for School Children...

Joseph Frick has the agency for the celebrated "Lewis' Wear Resisters" School Shoes. Genuine calf-skin shoes, which are waterproof and crack proof for boys and youths, at \$1.45 and \$1.65. "Seal Goat" and Box Calf Shoes for misses and children at \$1.25 and \$1.40. Try these shoes, one pair will last your child all winter. JOSEPH FRICK, 113 Territorial Street.

Gasoline stoves cleaned and guaranteed. J. Strain, 1404 Pipestone St. t/832

Try the Peach cigar, finest in the city.



"Let's chew this instead."

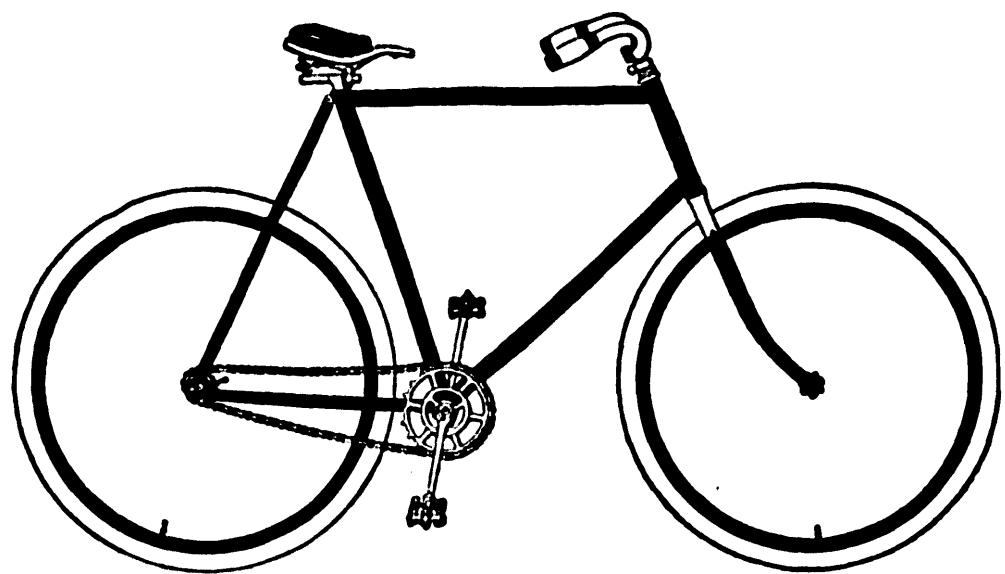
There has never been any question of rivalry about

BattleAx PLUG

It is acknowledged by all to be the Victor. Its campaign has been successful because its forces have been irresistible. These forces are high quality and large quantity for a low price. In no other way can you get so large a piece of really good chewing tobacco for 10c.

Remember the name
when you buy again.

SEE us before buying a new or
second-hand bicycle...



Repairing promptly and properly done.



NEWTON
..TIRE
\$5.00

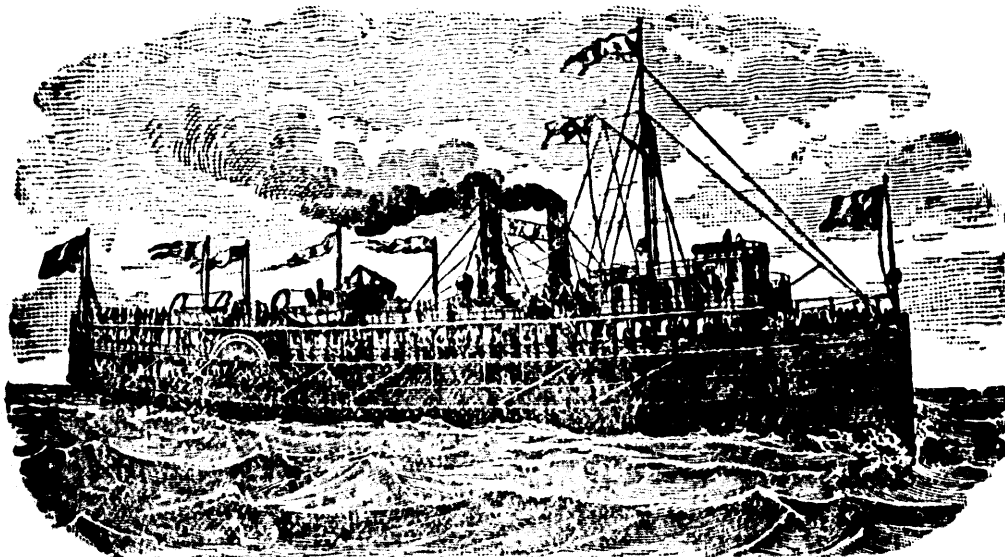
We are headquarters for Morgan & Wright's tires at lowest prices.

..See the 1899 Orin 30-inch Wheels..

ORIN CYCLE CO.

145 Pipestone Street, Benton Harbor, Mich.

GRAHAM & MORTON TRANSPORTATION CO.



Summer Time Card of the steel side-wheel steamers "CITY OF CHICAGO" and "CITY OF MILWAUKEE" and the "CITY OF LOUISVILLE," running between Benton Harbor, St. Joseph and Chicago.

Leave Benton Harbor	Leave St. Joseph	Arrive Chicago	Leave Chicago	Arrive St. Joseph	Arrive Benton Harbor
9:00 p. m. daily Inc. Sunday	5:00 p. m. daily Sunday ex.	9:00 p. m. daily Sunday ex.	9:30 a. m. daily Inc. Sunday	1:30 p. m. daily Sunday only	5:30 a. m. daily 7:00 p. m. Saturday only
	10:30 p. m. daily Inc. Sunday	1:00 a. m. daily Sunday only	10:00 a. m. Sunday only	2:00 p. m. Saturday only	
	6:00 p. m. Sunday only	10:00 p. m. Sunday only			

The right is reserved to change this schedule without notice.

Propeller "J. C. FORD" tri-weekly to Milwaukee, leaving Benton Harbor at 7:30 p. m., St. Joseph at 9 p. m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Leave Milwaukee at 8 p. m., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

DOCKS—

CHICAGO—Foot of Wabash Ave.
MILWAUKEE—South Water St.
ST. JOSEPH—E. A. Graham.
BENTON HARBOR—N. Water St.

J. H. GRAHAM,
President.

DEATH OF EMPRESS

Austria is in Mourning for Dead Empress.

Vienna, Sept. 12.—The assassination of Empress Elizabeth by the Italian anarchist Lauchini at Geneva, Switzerland, Saturday paralyzes all swiss throughout the empire. To court and people it is a stunning blow that has driven into the background all perplexing political questions. The news of the murder caused numerous anti-Italian demonstrations here, especially on the Franzensplatz in the Hofburg. "Italians take away our bread and then murder our empress!" was a cry frequently heard. A court servant attached to the service of the empress at Schoenbrunn went mad on hearing the tragic news, and arming herself with a knife rushed out into the crowded park screaming: "Where is the murderer of our beloved empress?"

Gen. Adjutant Count Paab carried the news of the tragedy to the emperor at Schoenbrunn. The latter, whom he found in his study, turned white and stood speechless at the announcement. Then sinking into a chair the emperor burst into a paroxysm of grief, wailing: "Mir bleibt gar nichts erspart auf dieser Welt!" (Nothing in the world is left to me.) Locking himself in, he denied himself to all members of his household until the arrival of the heir apparent, his nephew, Franz Ferdinand, and his sole surviving brother, Archduke Ludwig Victor. With evidence of great emotion they embraced the prostrate kaiser, who abandoned himself afresh to his grief.

The Bersen-Courier of Berlin expresses the hope that the crime may not serve as a pretext for any infringement of popular rights.

TWO GAMES.

Chicago Ball Team Beats St. Louis Twice Sunday.

Chicago, Sept. 12.—Two victories yesterday made up for the defeat inflicted by Jack Taylor Saturday and the Orphans went east a little firmer in fifth place. New York won, but only once. The experiment of Sunday ball was tried at Weehawken, across in New Jersey. The only other game of yesterday was that at Cincinnati, and Louisville again sprung a surprise by downing the Reds, pushing them so far behind Boston that, with an eastern trip at hand, their pennant chances seem hopeless. The standing:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Boston.....	79	42	.653
Cincinnati.....	79	47	.627
Baltimore.....	73	45	.619
Cleveland.....	70	51	.579
Chicago.....	69	56	.552
New York.....	66	56	.541
Philadelphia.....	59	58	.504
Pittsburg.....	62	62	.500
Louisville.....	54	73	.425
Brooklyn.....	46	70	.397
Washington.....	40	82	.328
St. Louis.....	34	89	.276

A Bismarck Duel.

A duel in which Bismarck was once engaged had a very amusing origin. It occurred when he was chief secretary of the Prussian legation at Frankfurt. He went much into society, and one Christmas attended a big ball. During the height of the festivities Bismarck's attention was directed to an exceedingly pompous individual who strutted about the room. This was a M. de Clancy, a noted French duelist. Later on this important individual took part in a dance, but having omitted to leave his hat at the proper place had perforce to hold it out almost at arm's length while he danced. The spectacle tickled Bismarck immensely, and as the Frenchman came sailing majestically along Bismarck stepped forward and dropped a coin into the hat. A duel was one of the next day's events. Though it was with pistols Bismarck escaped unhurt, while his adversary was wounded.

Seeing the Sights.

Even in these days of liberal education young women sometimes show how confused are the ideas shut up in their heads. Illustrative of this is the naive blunder which Edmondo de Amicis recounts in his story of a voyage from Genoa to Buenos Ayres:

The captain of the steamer which numbered the charming young blunderer among its passengers met her one morning and said:

"Signorina, we cross the tropic of cancer today."

"Oh, indeed!" she cried, with enthusiasm. "Then we shall see something at last."

A Wedding Announcement.

This is how the editor of the Humboldt (Kan.) Herald recently announced his marriage: "Mr. F. A. McCarter (that's us) and Miss Nannie Fisher (that's more of us) were united in marriage Wednesday, July 27, at 10 a. m. The ceremony was followed by a sumptuous repast, which we have only a faint recollection of. Some way events seemed to crowd on each other then, and God has given us the best earthly thing within his gift. The joy in a sweet wife is too great to be described—too sacred to be spoken of."

Too Much Eating.

Guttony has its victims, hardly less numerous than other vices. To overeat is to overburden the digestive organs to such an extent that it will be impossible for them to perform their duties properly. Deleterious products are created, and health is finally destroyed. A prominent judge used to say such men dig their graves with their teeth—and it is so. On the other hand, there are those who eat too little. All extremes are evils that experience should govern.

—Exchange.

For diseases of the eye and ear, Dr. Rauschbaum, Preston block, St. Joseph.

Bring your Job Printing to the News office.

See us for Fifty Cents.
Guaranteed to make you a better man, or we will refund your money.

ON HER FACE

Sores Also Erupt Out on Her Arms—The Remedy and Result.

BLOOMINGDALE, MICH.—"I have sores break out on my face and arms and one around one of my eyes. I tried various remedies without benefit, until a friend recommended Hood's Sarsaparilla and I have taken four bottles. I now have a good appetite, the sores are healed and I am in better health. Hood's Sarsaparilla is an excellent blood purifier." EMMA NICKERSON, Box 172. Take only Hood's. Hood's Pills cure sick headache. 25c.



Crowned with 33 years of unparalleled success in the treatment of all forms of NERVOUS, URINARY, SKIN, and all forms of CHRONIC DISEASES, will be in your town at the date, place and days named below, where parties can see him and receive consultation and advice free, and treatment if they desire, at the lowest rate of any specialist of his experience in the state. If you cannot be treated personally, he will tell you what he can treat out for at the Sanitarium, where you can receive the best of treatment at the lowest price of any sanitarium in the country.

Particular attention is given to the treatment of the following long standing diseases, viz.:—Nasal Catarrh, Polypus, Mucous and Proliferous Lesions of the Throat, Enlarged Tonsils, Laryngitis, Bronchitis, Bronchial Consumption, Spitting of Blood, Loss of Voice, Enlarged Tonsils, Inflammation of the Lungs, Consumption, Hemoptoe, General Debility, Diseases peculiar to Women, Neuralgias, and all forms of Nervous Diseases, Diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, Stricture, Constipation, Piles, Hemorrhoids, Irritable and Indolent Uterus, Hip Diseases, Scrofula, Blood and Skin Diseases, Surgical Diseases of all forms, the Eye, Ear, Face and Internal Organs, including Gonorrhea, Syphilis, Feet, Cross-Eye, Tumors, Hair Loss, etc. Also Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Diarrhea and all forms of Liver Stomach and Bowel Diseases.

YOUNG MEN led into evil habits, not knowing the harm, and now nervous wrecks, unit for study social pleasures or business, with loss of Memory, Headache, Weak Back, Pimples, Red and Swollen Eyes, Pimples, Tired Mornings, No Attention, Nervous Stricture, or any Disease of the Sexual System, can here find a safe and speedy cure. Charges reasonable, especially to the poor. CURES GUARANTEED.

THE SIGNS of SYRILLES are Blood and Skin Diseases, Painful Swellings, Bone Pains, Mucous Patches in the Mouth, Hair Loose, Pimples on the face, and a variety of other signs. Those cured for life without the use of injurious drugs.

VARICOCELE, PILES, etc., CURED AT ONCE. HAVE YOU the seeds of any past disease lurking in your system? MARRYING, or indeed of Sexual Power, and do you contemplate MARRIAGE? Do you feel safe in taking this step? You can't afford to take any risk.

We cure such cases by building up the system and purifying the blood.

Remember, all who are poor and have no money with which to pay, will receive ONE MONTH'S MEDICAL FREE.

Those unable to call should write particulars, enclosing stamp, and receive question list.

Thousands cured at home by correspondence. Write us and if the case is one that can be treated at home, we will do so.

Consultation free. Our honest opinion always given, and good, honest, careful treatment given to every patient.

ADDRESS ALL MAIL, REED CITY SANITARIUM, REED CITY, MICH.

DR. SPINNEY WILL BE AT HOTEL BENTON, Friday Afternoon and Ev'ning Until 8:00 p. m., Oct. 7.

"Walker's Peach" is the cigar to smoke. 26c/100

Ralph Benton at Baker's hardware store cleans gasoline stoves. t846

A stubborn cough or tickling in the throat yields to One Minute Cough Cure. Harmless in effect, touches the right spot, reliable and just what is wanted. It acts at once. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

What is nicer for a wedding or birthday present than an artistic picture, artistically framed? Rice has them.

Eastman Springs Water.

Eastman Springs water delivered at 5 cents per gallon. Leave orders at Adams Express office, in A. S. Miles' shoe store, 129 Pipestone street, phone 16. 799t R. E. AYERS, Agent.

Truth wears well. People have learned that DeWitt's Little Early Risers are reliable little pills for regulating the bowels, curing constipation and sick headaches. They don't gripe. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

See the new fall dress goods at Enterprise Mercantile Co. Our black goods cannot be excelled and prices—well you know us.

For broken surfaces, sores, insect bites, burns, skin diseases and especially piles there is one reliable remedy, DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. When you call for DeWitt's don't accept counterfeits or frauds. You will not be disappointed with DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

DAN GREEN STILL DOES

..DRAYING

LEAVE ORDERS AT OWENS' GROCERY

PIANO AND ORGAN TUNING.

LINCOLN ROBINSON, PIANO AND ORGAN tuner, lives here. Why not employ a home tuner? Absolute satisfaction guaranteed. Orders may be left at Fraxell's or card in post office. Telephone No. 225.

DENTIST.

A. ENDERS, DENTIST, ROOM 8, JONES & SONNER block, Benton Harbor.

WEAK MEN CURED BY NERVE DROPS. IT MAKES LIFE WORTH LIVING.

This great remedy CURES all Nervous Diseases such as Weak Memory, Loss of Brain Power, Loss of Manhood, Nightly Emissions, Evil Dreams, and all the Generative Organs of either sex may be repaired through youthfulness, which can lead to Consumption and Insanity. Sold with a guarantee to cure, or money refunded. \$1 per box six for \$5. Easily carried in vest pocket. Write us for FREE BOOK and TESTIMONIALS. Ask our Drug-Store for them, take no other. Or address

WALKER DRUG CO., 6000 N. Main, Room 10, Benton Harbor, Mich.

For sale by J. A. RICHMOND & SON, 129 Pipestone St., Benton Harbor, Mich.

Practical Lesson

...IN...

Money Saving and

Economy

This theme will have our entire attention this week and the lesson will be most forcibly brought out by illustrations of low prices that we shall make in

Glassware
and Lamps

This theme will have our entire attention this week and the lesson will be most forcibly brought out by illustrations of low prices that we shall make in

Regular 40c doz. plain tumblers, each..... 2c

Regular 60c doz. tumblers, band or engraved, each..... 3c

Regular \$1 and \$1.50 per doz. thin blown banded or etched tumblers, each 5c

Celery stands and trays, reg. 25c goods, each 9c

Water pitchers, 25 and 40c goods, each.... 11c

High foot bowls, for fruit or salad, regular 40 and 50c goods, each.... 17c

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BIG WHEAT YEAR...



Michigan Raised More Wheat This Year Than Ever Before.

Lansing, Sept. 12.—Reports of 7,317 jobs of thrashing, aggregating 115,827 acres, indicates an average yield of 19.64 bushels of wheat an acre. The area of wheat in the state last May was 1,725,448 acres, making Michigan's yield this year 34,162,563 bushels. This is more than ever before reported. Threshers' returns indicate that oats

will yield thirty-two bushels and barley twenty-four bushels an acre. This is seven and five bushels, respectively, above last year's estimate. Beans will yield 69 and potatoes 72 per cent of an average crop. Corn, beans, potatoes and pastures have been injured by dry weather. Apples promise six-tenths and peaches three-quarters of average crops.

M. E. CONFERENCE

Will Begin at Lansing Tomorrow.

Bishop Merrill Will Preside at Conference.

Lansing, Sept. 12.—Bishop Stephen M. Merrill will preside at the sixty-third annual meeting of the Michigan Methodist Episcopal conference to be held here this week, commencing Tuesday morning. This is the second time within two years that the conference has met in Lansing, a most unusual occurrence. Tuesday will be devoted to the examination of the young men comprising the several classes, and on Wednesday morning the first session of the conference will be held.

A feature of the session will be the meetings to be conducted each day at 6 a. m. and 4 p. m., by Rev. Joseph H. Smith, of Newcastle, Ind. At all these meetings the music will be in charge of Ernest O. Sellers, of Chicago, formerly of this city. A number of exceptionally talented speakers have been secured for addresses at the various sessions.

The list includes Bishop Hartzell, of Africa; Dr. John P. D. John, ex-president of De Pauw university; Dr. Manley S. Hard, of Philadelphia; Dr. M. C. B. Mason, of Cincinnati, the acknowledged leader of the colored people of the church; President John P. Ashley, of Albion college; Rev. L. M. Edmunds, of Oconto Falls, Wis., and a dozen well-known Michigan divines. The conference sermon will be preached by Bishop Merrill, Sunday morning, September 18, and the conference will close with the assignment of pastors Monday night.

MASS MEETING.

Republicans Will Hold It at Berrien Springs Thursday.

There will be a grand republican mass meeting held at Berrien Springs on Thursday afternoon, September 15, at 1:30 p. m.

Addresses by Congressman E. L. Hamilton and Col. L. M. Ward.

Music—Berrien Springs band. Train service as follows: M. B. H. & C. leave Benton Harbor at 8:30 a. m. Leave Buchanan at 10 a. m. Leave Berrien Springs for Buchanan at 3:30 p. m. Connect with M. C. R. R. east and west, also leave for Buchanan at 4:32 and connect with M. C. R. R. east. Leave for Benton Harbor and the north at 5:30 p. m. Half rates on the M., B. H. & C. and M. C. R. R.

SOLDIERS RIGHT IN IT.

Port Huron Remembers the Boys on Political Nominations.

Port Huron, Sept. 12.—The republican legislative convention, will undoubtedly nominate Corp. William Duff for representative. As yet no great opposition has appeared. Port Huron politicians have already remembered soldier boys in making nominations. The republicans have nominated Capt. Joseph Walsh for prosecuting attorney and opposing him on the democratic ticket is Private David Fitzgibbon, of the same regiment. Assistant Quartermaster Frank Wellman is the democratic nominee for county clerk.

Preached His Farewell.

Niles, Sept. 12.—Rev. L. Grosenbaugh, who has been pastor of the First Methodist church for five years, preached his farewell sermon yesterday. He has been a very popular pastor.

Dr. Antisdale will be in Benton Harbor Fridays, Saturdays and Sundays. Other days he teaches in the Chicago Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat college.

RICH TREAT.

Jessie Couthoul Coming to Benton Harbor.

A grand concert will be given in the First Methodist church, Wednesday evening, September 28, under the auspices of Circle No. 4 of the ladies' aid society.

The concert will be given by first class artists among them being Miss Jessie Couthoul, who captured the hearts of the Benton Harbor people some two years ago by her matchless elocutionary powers. Mrs. Elizabeth R. Levings, whose clear, sweet soprano voice delighted all who heard her, assisted by John Brookhurst, the eminent violinist formerly the first violin on Thomas' orchestra, Henry Wey, one of the leading pipe organists of Chicago and George Willett, a fine pianist. This concert will not be excelled by any that may be given in the city this coming season, but will be a rare event within the reach of all, at the popular low prices.

MRS. LOGAN.

How She Induced Secretary Alger to Act.

It was a woman, after all, who was the moving power in the investigation of army abuses. After seeing for herself how things were at Montauk, Mrs. John A. Logan proceeded, in her characteristically forcible manner, to "go after" the war department. She went to Gen. Alger and informed him of the drunkenness, incompetency and general criminal neglect of those in authority, telling him more truths in one evening, says our informant, than he could have obtained from the official reports in a lifetime. When she got through with him the secretary packed his grip and started on a visit of inspection to Camp Wikoff. What soldier, sick or well, will deny that Mrs. Logan would herself make a most efficient war secretary? The full privileges of a citizen should at least be extended to her—to be exercised or not as she saw fit.

Prominent Niles Farmer Dead.

Niles Sun, Saturday: Nathaniel Beall, residing about two miles east of Niles on the north Barron Lake road, died at 11:30 o'clock this forenoon, after a two weeks' illness of Bright's disease of the kidneys. Mr. Beall was one of the best known farmers around Niles. He was born in Indiana 54 years ago and came here about 35 years ago. He was highly respected and had countless friends. The deceased leaves a wife and two children, a boy and a girl. He also leaves three sisters, Mrs. E. J. Bonine, Mrs. Laban Harter, both of this city, and Mrs. Dr. Osborne, of Vandalia, and two brothers, Supervisor S. S. Beall and James M. Beall, of this city.

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PICTURE OF MAUD.

Mascot of Company I Has Been Photographed.

Maud, the Mascot of Company I, has been photographed by J. N. Poundstone and photographs may be had at his studio. This is the only dog that went to Cuba with the soldiers. 61909

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REAL SURPRISE.

J. O. Rowe's 50th Birthday Celebrated.

And For Once "Jap" Was Surprised.

Saturday afternoon J. O. Rowe was working in the Crystal Springs cemetery erecting a new family monument and did not return to supper until plump 6 o'clock. His clothes were unbrushed, the polish had all disappeared from his shoes and his hands and face were unwashed. He was not in a condition to receive company but when he drove up to his home on High street he saw something was up.

He didn't have time to think but was marched into his brother's house—next door to his own—where a company of thirty gentlemen friends were on hand to congratulate him upon his fiftieth birthday.

Mr. Rowe was really surprised and a little later when he made some apologetic remark in regard to his appearance he was given a cold chunk of comfort by B. H. Van Camp who, with his happy laugh, remarked: "But, say, you never thought of my shabby appearance when you surprised me. Guess we're even now."

The guests were ushered over to J. O. Rowe's residence where a bountiful supper was served. The tables were trimmed with smilax and flowers. Rev. E. A. Hoffman gave thanks and full justice was done the meal.

After supper the guests were called to order and Fred A. Hobbs in one of his characteristic speeches presented Mr. and Mrs. Rowe with two elegant chairs. Mr. Hobbs expressed the wish that they both would often "sit down upon these efforts of their friends."

Mr. Rowe was calm and collected. He heartily thanked the guests but the happiest thought was that he had so many friends.

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The Awkwardness of the Prince.

The Prince of Wales is placed by fate in the most difficult position of any English subject. Labeled incessantly, continuously and malignantly, silence is imposed on him by reasons of state. If he patronizes the drama, for the neglect of which the queen is persistently blamed, the prince is depicted as a trifler, who finds in the society of mummery relief from the tedium of a wasted life. If he encourages our national sports, he is a profligate and is compared with royal predecessors, whose conduct would certainly not commend itself today even to the staunchest supporters of monarchy. If he does not lavish money he does not possess, he is said to be stingy. If he makes an outlay on a church at Sandringham or a ball at Marlborough House, he is a spendthrift. Unworthy friendships are attributed to him with men upon whom he has never set eyes or with whom he may perhaps have exchanged a casual word. If he plays a game of cards, he is a gambler.

Fierce as is the light that beats upon a throne, the cruel and searching illumination of the prince's life inflicts on him the disabilities and responsibilities, while denying him either the power of the throne or the privileges of a private station.—Harper's Magazine.

The English Broom.

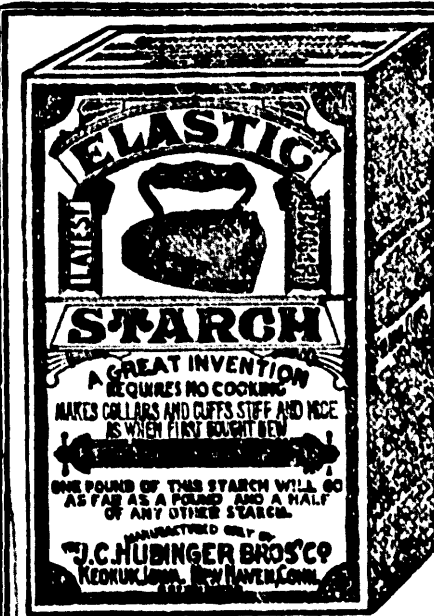
One of the botanical oddities of Massachusetts is the existence of the English broom, which grows in only two places—in Sterling, this county, and in Salem. It is not a native plant, and how it got across the water is a mystery. Perhaps some homesick colonist caused it to be sent to him, that the hills about his new home might have the familiar appearance of the old country. It is a beautiful golden yellow in color and grows in a compact, spirelike plant, with blossoms close together. So thick are the stalks that the pastures are like sheets of gold, and at first sight seem to be buttercups in masses. Arba Pierce brought some of it into the city and proposes to make a display of it at the exhibition of the horticultural society.

Every one has heard of the broom. English and Scotch literature is full of it. It was the flower of the royal house of Plantagenet. In fact, the name Plantagenet is the French for broom plant a genet. Their ancestor, the Count d'Anjou, wore a string of broom as a badge, therefore their name. The name broom is given it because of its usefulness for the purpose.—Worcester (Mass.) Gazette.

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TWIN CITY TELEPHONE 172.
MONDAY, SEPT. 12, 1908.

THE temperance people are busy protesting against the use of champagne in christening the new battleship, "Illinois." The way THE NEWS looks at it champagne could be put to no better use. Were the entire supply used in naming battleships the world would be the better.

THE Van Buren county republicans endorsed Pingree but forgot Burrows. The candidates for representative in Kalamazoo refuses to pledge himself for Burrows and the junior senator has trouble enough. His home counties—Kalamazoo, Berrien and Van Buren—cannot be counted upon this year.

BUFFALO is a very righteous city and abhors a prize fight. Some time ago the city authorities announced that they would stop the fight booked for tonight. Nothing has been done, but the authorities claim they will make a test case of it after the fight is over. If the Buffalo people were in earnest they would stop the fight.

THE anarchist who assassinated the empress of Austria showed a lack of common sense. He thought he was hastening the doctrine of anarchy when the law of the land will be brute force and the dagger. The empress was a lovable woman who would harm no one and the anarchist struck an irreparable blow at his own cause. There was no excuse for anyone to kill Elizabeth.

MAYOR Brant heads quite a following who are opposed to Benton Harbor holding a street fair. The mayor has pretty good reasons. He was at Grand Rapids last year and saw nothing but a sea of drunken men. Men who were never known to drink the mayor saw as drunk as lords. If this be a street fair in all its glory then Benton Harbor wants none of it. But a street fair need not necessarily be a carousal. By putting the best business men at the head of the committees appointed at the city hall tonight a street fair that will be a credit to the city can be conducted.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

THE senatorial convention of the republicans will be held at Niles tomorrow.

THE interior of Mrs. Dorothy Collins millinery store is receiving new paint and paper.

FIRST and last excursion of the year to South Haven, September 18. Fare for the round trip 35 cents.

THE Paw Paw lake trains will close the season's business today. The road has done a very satisfactory business.

EVERY citizen interested in the proposed street fair to be held in this city the third week in October is requested to attend the meeting.

A MOTHERS' meeting will be held under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. at the Rescue Mission room next Wednesday, at 3 p. m.

THE mothers' meeting of the Congregational church will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the lecture room of the church.

ATTORNEY George Miller went to Paw Paw today to prosecute a divorce case which he has pending in the circuit court at Paw Paw.

ABOUT fifty employees of the Peters lumber company were laid off this morning. They will go to work again as soon as two boats due yesterday arrive with lumber.

THE Bay View reading society will meet at 7:30 this evening at the home of J. S. Barker. Every member is requested to be present as there is business of importance.

REV. W. P. French preached his last sermon of the conference year at the First Methodist church Sunday morning. He will leave for conference tomorrow morning.

THE M. B. H. & C. will run an excursion to Berrien Springs Thursday on account of the republican county convention. A special will leave here at 8:30 a. m. The fare for the round trip is only 50 cents.

DR. G. L. Freemyer, assisted by Dr. Winans performed a very difficult operation on the daughter of Mr. Johnson, Morton Hill. The child has been examined by Chicago experts. The operation was successful.

LAST Saturday W. H. Seitz and J. T. Beckwith, directors of the Berrien County Mutual, adjusted the loss of B. Schultz whose barns recently burned in Benton township. About \$328.00 is the amount allowed for the loss.

F. M. VAN HORN is working the democrats to establish a daily paper in Benton Harbor. If the scheme is carried out successfully the new paper will be published from the Times office and will be known as the Daily Times. The present editor of the Weekly Times will not edit the new daily.

EVERY business man should attend the meeting at the city hall this evening in the interests of the street fair. Those opposed to the fair should be out and express their opinion or forever hereafter hold their peace. Chairman Hopkins says that those opposed will be just as welcome as those in favor of the fair.

REV. George B. Simons, pastor of the First Baptist church, occupied the pulpit of the First Presbyterian church last night. The appointment was arranged without the consent of Mr. Simons by the Methodist pastor. Mr. Simons explained the circumstances and informed the congregation that he was there by order of the bishop and when "Bishop French ordered he always responded." Mr. Simons preached an excellent sermon.

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Geo. D. Alger, Watchmaker.

If you want anything in the Job Printing line, ring phone 172 and we will call on you.

THE LEADER STORE.

We have just bought out a stock of clothing and furnishings at 50 cents on the dollar and will sell the same below first cost. Also shoes, underwear, notions, glass and tinware at lowest prices. B. Joseph, proprietor, 118 W. Main street.

South Haven excursion Sunday, Sept. 18. Fare for the round trip 35 cents.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve has the largest sale of any Salve in the world. This fact and its merit has led dishonest people to attempt to counterfeit it. Look out for the man who attempts to deceive you when you call for DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve the great pile cure. Geo. M. Bell & Co.

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MICHIGAN MURDER.

Wyandotte Man Kills His Wife and Himself.

Wyandotte, Sept. 12. —While in a fit of drunken jealous rage Sunday Ezekiel Lazette, aged 45, shot and instantly killed his wife and then turned the revolver on himself, inflicting a wound from which he died in an hour.

Lazette had for some time been jealous of his wife, and a few days ago assaulted her in their home. Mrs. Lazette had him arrested for this, but he secured bonds and was released from jail. Saturday night he was drinking and came to the house where his wife was living and demanded entrance. He was driven away by neighbors.

This morning he came back again, broke in the back door and committed the crime. His two sons, who were asleep upstairs at the time, heard the shots, jumped from the window of their room and ran for help.

When the house was re-entered Mrs. Lazette was found dead and Lazette was lying on the floor, dying, with the revolver on his breast.

HINTS TO BARGAIN SEEKERS.

Business Announcements That Pay to Consider.

James Pound is conducting a special sale on ladies' fleece lined underwear.

Berman & Goldstein, at 128 Pipestone street, have a change of ad.

Hipp, Enders & Puterbaugh are selling the H. S. & M. clothing and are offering business suits at a bargain.

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The M. B. H. & C. Ry., will run a special train, September 15, on account of republican county convention at Berrien Springs. Leaving Benton Harbor at 8:30 a. m., leaving Buchanan at 10 a. m. Fare for the round trip, Benton Harbor to Berrien Springs, 50 cents. Buchanan to Berrien Springs, 30 cents.

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A BALLAD OF THE ARMADA.

King Philip had wanted his claims;
He had sworn a year he would make us;
With an army of hellish names;
He was coming to land and stack us;
Like the thieves of the sea, he would track us
And shatter our ships on the main.
But we had bold Neptune to back us,
And where are the galleons of Spain?

His carackes were christened of dames
To the kirtles whereof he would tack us;
With his saints and his gilded stern frames
He had thought like an eggshell to crack us;
Now Drake may get to his Flaccus,
And Drake to his Devon again,
And Hawkins bowl rubbers to Bacchus,
For where are the galleons of Spain?

Let his majesty hang to St. James
The ax that he whetted to hack us;
He must play at some lustier games
Ere at sea he can hope to outwack us;
To his mines of Peru he would pack us
To tug at his bullet and chain.
Alas, that his greatness should lack us!
But where are the galleons of Spain?

ENVOY.

Giorganni! The don may attack us
Whenever his stomach be full;
He must reach us before he can rack us,
And where are the galleons of Spain?
—Austin Dobson.

HOW SHE LISTENED.

Society people might have thought that it was not exactly up to the highest notch of elegance, but since the participants were wholly unconscious of its shortcomings what did it matter. There is a more real weight in the expression of ignorance being the greatest bliss where social matters are concerned than in any other condition of life. The ordinary little girl who slips into a thin gown and dances all night with "the boys," whom she has known since childhood, in the simple ballroom of a family club finds more unalloyed enjoyment in the entire procedure than does the veriest brocade clad, jewel weighted belle who glides in stately elegance through the gorgeous cotillon in the most sparkling ballroom of one of society's real leaders. When the little girl has romped her cheeks red through a gay, easy German or, more frequently, through a hackneyed waltz, she would open her big, blue eyes in amazement if a frigid debutante in the real thing stared at her as decidedly unconventional. But the little girl doesn't even dream that there is any difference between her dance and the one whose details are so exploited in the society columns, so she is a thousand times happier than is her blue blooded sister, breathing the atmosphere of wealth and all the gnawing envious, rivalries and disappointments pertaining thereto.

Peggy was very pink after the last dance. Richard always went into that particular waltz with especial fervor. Afterward he explained to her that it was because his first dance with her had been that particular one, and she was tense enough to act as though she wasn't at all conscious of the particular significance of the thing. So tonight, when he reluctantly let her slip from his arms, she hadn't quite the necessary courage to refuse his plea that they "go somewhere to rest."

She knew what that meant. Hadn't he carried her off to that particular "somewhere" every night since the little club had begun its informal fortnightly dances? Still, she knew that she had better not go tonight—she had known for weeks that it was coming, and this last waltz had convinced her that it was coming very soon. And Peggy didn't want it to come, at least not just now, for this was Peggy's first winter and it seemed a shame for a girl to tell herself her first season. Then, too, Richard wanted so much that it should come, and there wasn't anything in the world that Peggy loved so much as to make Mr. Richard wait. It didn't matter whether she delayed him by taking an unusually long time to adjust her veil when he had called to take her some place in the evening, or whether he had to wait for her before the fire while she dallied over making his cup of tea or even in the telling of his great secret, which poor Richard congratulated himself no one, not even Peggy, knew. To be frank, everybody in the little club had discovered it before he had confessed it to himself. Still Peggy yielded and was led off to the big chair in the corner of the library, where Richard could perch himself on the window seat beside her and where the other young people were good enough never to intrude.

Peggy leaned back and let her white lids flutter in happy content over her deep blue eyes, whereat Richard felt his last bit of common sense leave him.

"Peggy?" he asked, leaning dangerously near her.

Peggy sat up with a little start, and a half air of rebellion. Then, all at once, she felt his eyes burning into hers, and her courage fled, leaving a very weak, pliant little girl.

"Peggy," he began again, this time laying his hand over hers as it trembled on the arm of the big chair. "I want to tell you something," added Richard.

Peggy closed her eyes again and gathered together her fast failing courage with one mighty effort. "Don't," she pleaded. "Don't, Richard."

His face grew a trifle paler as he asked. "Why not, little girl?"

Peggy's white cheeks all at once grew fiery, but she said it. "Because I know what you are going to say, and I don't want to hear it."

Poor Richard! So she knew, after all, the secret which he had flattered himself he had kept from all the world. Most of all from the tiny, pink and white girl whom it most concerned. Then all at once it struck him that there was a ludicrous side to the situation, and Peggy was amazed to see a bit of a roguish smile about the corners of his fine mouth as he asked:

"How do you know that you know what I was going to say?"

It was a mean thing for him to do, and she afterward told him so. Now, however, she put herself on the defensive as much as possible and answered valiantly:

"I do know, no matter how, and I

don't want to hear it," then a pause and finally a whispered "just yet."

Richard sprang to his feet with enough exultation in the movement to startle her.

"When may I tell you, Peggy mine?"

Perhaps he drew her to her feet, perhaps she rose, but all at once she found herself standing before him, with him holding her dangerously close by the two tiny, burning hands.

"Some day," she stammered. Then, noting the happy laughter in his eyes, she cried out: "Oh, Richard, why did you do it? It is almost as bad as if you had really told me, and you've made me say things I had no right to say, and"—

There was a hint of tears in her reproachful, big eyes, and she tugged hard to loose her imprisoned fingers. Instantly all the teasing fled from his manly face, and he dropped her hands.

"Very well, Peggy, but may I ask you this: Do you realize that I would not be quite—kind, to give me permission to tell you some day, and then not to make me happy by giving me the right answer?"

Peggy's lips quivered helplessly, but she finally lifted her eyes to him bravely and answered, "Yes, I realize, and I'll—be—kind."

For a moment she feared that he was going to kiss her. But after a moment, with a wistful, half contented sigh, he turned away, and with one accord they walked toward the door. At the portal he stopped her and asked again: "Don't make me wait long, little girl, and don't let any one else tell you the same story in the meantime. I'm not afraid to trust you with the other fellows, but—I shouldn't be happy to know that they had told—told you the story, even though I knew you wouldn't care for them."

She answered him only by a look, for some one came up with the frantic explanation that he had been looking everywhere for her, as this was his dance. So she slipped away from the yearning Richard, who made himself ridiculous all the rest of the evening by forgetting that he had left his name on half a dozen programmes before he had carried Peggy off to the library.

When supper time came, Richard all at once lost sight of his ladylove. He hadn't had a chance to speak to her since the little scene in the big armchair, but he had not for an instant lost sight of the pretty white muslin gown, with its tiny sprigs of pink rosebuds. But in the confusion of the breaking up of the last waltz she mysteriously disappeared and finally, in sheer desperation, he hunted out her mother, hoping to find the lost maiden under the careful wing of the loving chaperon.

"Where is Peggy?" called the sweet faced little mother. "I've lost her, and I hoped you would bring her." Poor Richard's heart sank and with some murmured explanation he plunged off in the midst of the gay little throng. The search was fruitless. Everybody seemed to have drifted into the supper room, and still Peggy was not among them. He plunged into the most impossible corners and hiding places. He even looked into the depths of the big armchair in the library and still there was no Peggy. At last, when his face was white and his palms were burning where his impatient nails had dug into them, he heard a soft, tearful little whisper from the stairs, and there, in the turn above the landing, he found her sobbing to herself as though her very heart was broken.

"Peggy," he cried, kneeling on the step beside her and chafing her cold hands between his feverish palms. "Peggy, what is the matter?"

Peggy dabbed her wet little ball of a handkerchief into her eyes and swallowed a sob. "It's—that big George Waters," she choked out, and then, with a new fit of sobs she buried her disconsolate little head in her lap and could go no further.

Richard set his teeth and waited. Then all at once he understood, for he had been afraid of Waters all winter. There was no further room for delay. Leaning over he caught the sobbing little figure in his arms, and there never was any joy in the world so dear as his when he felt her nestle her face on his shoulder, while her crying grew less violent and finally subsided into an occasional sigh of growing content.

When she had become quiet, he gently turned her face to his and said:

"Never mind, little girl, you needn't explain. I know that—that that impudent cad has presumed to tell you what you didn't want to hear, and I know it wasn't your fault. But don't you think, little girl, that it is time for me to tell you what I had to say a couple of hours ago?"

And Peggy actually smiled through her tears while he went off into an elaborate recital of the secret which they congratulated themselves was all their own and had never been so deliciously told by any one else in the world. —Chicago News.

Future Blacksmith Shop.

A blacksmith's shop without a forge may really come to be a popular institution in the near future. The idea originated in Belgium. The metal to be heated is plunged into a metal tub of water, and, apparently with little reason, becomes instantly white hot. As a matter of fact, the metal tub is connected by wire to one pole of a dynamo. The water is acidulated, and when the metal is plunged into the water an arc seems to be established all around the submerged portion, which may then be removed and hammered on an anvil the same as any ordinary heated metal. —Los Angeles Times.

An Averted Tragedy.

An Acheson man got angry the other night, and hissing an angry farewell at his family stalked laughingly out of the house and out the front gate. When he reached it, however, his pants leg caught on a nail and was ripped from top to bottom, and the angry man who had gone forever was compelled to return. Thus another tragedy was turned into a comedy. —Acheson Globe.

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BIG LAKE STEAMER LOST.

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Duluth, Sept. 12.—A big steamer, in all probability an iron ore carrier, has foundered in Lake Superior off the Apostle Islands in the recent gale.

The captain of the steamer Robert L. Fryer, which arrived here yesterday, reports having passed through considerable wreckage Saturday when twenty-five miles below Outer Island and on the straight course between Eagle Island and Double Island.

The wreckage consisted of hatch covers, of which there are twenty-one within sight, and much other light woodwork, all parts of a steamer. There were no marks on the wreckage to identify it. The hatch covers were painted an iron ore color, and each had four ring bolts in it.

The presence of the hatch covers indicates that the boat they belonged to was undoubtedly lost. The fate of her crew can only be surmised, but it is feared the men went down with their boat.

Heart Broken.

The funeral of Charles Metzger was held from the family home in Stevensville this morning. Mr. Metzger died last Saturday, age between 70 and 80 years.

About a week ago Mr. Metzger buried his wife and at the grave he declared that he had nothing more to live for and that he never would be happy again. He refused to eat and his children could see that he was grieving himself sick over the loss of his wife. Last Saturday morning he called his children together and told each one the property that they were to have. He then went to bed and died in a few hours.

The doctors agree that it was the grief that killed him.

COUNTY SEAT.

William C. Mealey of Berrien Springs by his attorneys, O'Hara & O'Hara, has filed a bill for divorce in the circuit court asking that he be legally separated from his wife, Anna. The couple were married in Benton Harbor in 1892, and it is claimed by the plaintiff that his wife treated him cruelly.

The September term of the circuit court will open tomorrow.

Marriage Licenses.

Milo A. Piely, 28, Napanee; Sivilie Doty, 23, same.

Sea Salt Statistics.

Every ton of Atlantic water when evaporated yields eight pounds of salt, a ton of Pacific water, seven pounds; arctic and antarctic waters yield eighty-five pounds to the ton, and Dead sea water 187 pounds.

EUROPE STIRRED

By Assassination of Empress of Austria.

The Dagger Really Pierced the Heart of Elizabeth.

By Telegraph to Evening News.

Geneva, Sept. 12.—The doctors charged with the duty of examining the body of the dead empress of Austria found that the dagger of the assassin had actually pierced her heart.

Paris, Sept. 12.—The assassination of the empress of Austria has stirred up a strong feeling throughout Europe. Wholesale arrests of the conspirators has been decided upon in France, Italy and Switzerland, and other countries will follow suit.

Romantic Marriage of the Empress.

The tragic death of the empress ends a pretty little romance in her life that began when she married the emperor.

It has been said that the match was forced upon him by his mother, but probably without truth. His mother intended that he should wed the princess Helena, the eldest daughter of the Bavarian Duke Max, and indeed, fully negotiated the match. Francis Joseph acquiesced in this arrangement with passive indifference, and set out for Duke Max's castle to consummate the formal betrothal. On his way through the park, before he reached the door of the castle, however, he saw strolling about amid the shrubbery a little girl whose extraordinary beauty fixed his attentions and won his heart. Within the hour he ascertained that she was Princess Elizabeth, a younger sister of his intended bride, and he canceled the engagement his mother had made for him, and vowed that he would marry no one but the exquisite creature he had seen in the park. To this Maximilian soon gave his consent; nor did the Princess Helena greatly object for she was far from loving the emperor. In his own family and among the nobility of Austria, however, the emperor heard nothing but remonstrances. Princess Elizabeth was only the younger daughter of a penniless duke and was not by birth a "Royal Highness."

To all this Francis Joseph was deaf. He was in love with the beautiful girl, and he would marry her. What was the use of being emperor if he could not? So, in April, 1854, he was married. Mother and kinsfolk would scarcely recognize the wife, and the Viennese aristocracy held aloof from her. The fair young empress upon her part returned scorn for scorn, and to the day of her death treated her former enemies with icy condescension—albeit there is not one of them who would not long ago have given worlds to win her favor, and blot out the memory of those first few years of spite and intrigue.

The Empress Elizabeth was once the loveliest woman of Europe, and was still remarkably handsome for her age. After the death of her son she sought solace from her gnawing pain in incessant traveling.

SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Adam Weber came down from Holland to spend Sunday.

Mrs. C. D. Stuart and Mrs. Ida Parks left this morning for Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Thomas Rector and Mrs. Hampton Sill, will leave this evening for Chicago.

Frederick Armour of the firm of P. D. Armour & Co., of Chicago, spent Sunday with his cousins, the Misses Foster at 239 Broadway.

Lin W. Rowe, leader of the Evening News Newsboys' band, returned Saturday night from a two weeks' visit with relatives in St. Paul, Minn.

J. F. Nichols has been at the bedside of his father in Bangor for several weeks. Mrs. Nichols went there yesterday and will remain this week.

Roy K. Moulton who has held the position of assistant clerk on the steamer City of Milwaukee since June 1, finished his duties this morning.

Bert Forbes, a former Benton Harbor boy who enlisted in Co. M. First Wisconsin, is in the city visiting relatives and friends. He has a thirty days' furlough.

August Ament has resigned his position as filler in Spencer & Barnes furniture factory, and has accepted a similar position at Studebaker Bros.' wagon factory, South Bend, Ind.

Mrs. George Tatman lost a gold watch in front of the city pumping station last Saturday and a boy picked it up. Mrs. Tatman asks the boy to return it and receive a reward.

Mrs. George Larkworthy of Thompsonville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Gentle and many friends here. Her little nephew, Sammy Gentle, who has spent the past five weeks with Mrs. Larkworthy, returned with her.

Queer Restaurant Sign.

In Sweden the railway stations where meals are served are known by the picture of a crossed knife and fork opposite the name of the station.

Did you notice the change in the card of R. W. Baker, optician? 30716

What the Banks and Leading Business Men of Kalamazoo Think of the

Michigan Accident Association.

KALAMAZOO, MICH., June 6, 1898.

TO THE PUBLIC: We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we are personally acquainted with the officers and directors of the MICHIGAN ACCIDENT ASSOCIATION of this city, and know them to be first-class, responsible business men who we believe will carry out to the letter any obligations they may incur. We would further say that from what we know of the methods and success of the MICHIGAN ACCIDENT ASSOCIATION we believe it to be one that is judiciously managed and conducted on strict business principles. Among a large membership in this city we have never heard a complaint of unfair treatment or failure to meet all legitimate obligations.

L. M. GATES, President First National Bank.
E. C. DAYTON, V. T. BANKER.
JAS. MONROE, Cashier Home Savings Bank.
A. M. STEARNS, President Kalamazoo.
MAYOR OF Kalamazoo.
ALBERT W. SMITH, Treasurer of Kalamazoo county.
H. P. SHUTE, Register of Deeds, Kalamazoo Co.
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The Peasant and His Son.

One day a peasant carried a basket of potatoes to the field and dug holes in the soil and planted them. His young son watched operations for a time and then inquired:

"Daddy, why do you put those taters in the ground?"

"By so doing each one will bring me back ten, my son," replied the father.

The boy went away, and when his father came up to dinner he found him digging in the yard and asked:

"Sonny, what are you seeking?"

"Why, daddy, I have planted the clock, two umbrellas, the teapot, your Sunday hat, ma's boots and a tablecloth, and each one will bring me back ten."

"You young idiot, come here and be skelped!" shouted the father, and he tanned the boy up and down, crossways and sideways, until he was tired.

"Daddy planted taters to get back ten," mused the boy as he sat down under the cow shed to think. "But I planted clocks and hats and boots to get a licking. It must be the difference in the soil."—Pearson's Weekly.

The Little Curate.

Some years ago the English prime minister received the following letter from a workingman:

SIR—Doubtless you do not often get a letter from a workingman on the subject of clerical appointments, but, as I here you have got to find a minister for to fill Mr. Boyd Carpenter's place, allow me to ask you to just go some Sunday afternoon and here our little curate, Mr. —, at St. Matthew's church—he is a good, earnest little man and a genuine little fellow; got no humbug about him, but a sound Churchman, is an extempore preacher and deserves promotion. Nobody knows I am writing to you, and it is not a matter of kiss and go by favor, but simply asking you to take a run over and here him and then put him a step higher—he deserves it. I know Mr. Sullivan will give him a good character, and so will Mr. Alcroft, the Patron. Now do go over and here him before you make a choice. We workingmen will be sorry to lose him, but we think he ought not to be missed promotion as is a good fellow. Your obedient servant,

The Kaiser's Latest.

The German emperor has devised a new scheme for the encouragement of vocal music in the German empire. It will be put into operation in 1899, and it consists of a singing competition to be held in a different town every year. Cassel has been selected for the first competition, the chief condition of which is that each choir taking part will receive an unpublished musical composition about an hour before the contest takes place. There will be no accompaniment.

The Kaiser's prize is a valuable jewel, and the president of the winning choir will be allowed to wear it for a year, the name of each singer being engraved upon it.

Chalk as a Coal Saver.

To make half a ton of coal go as 15 hundredweight place a quantity of chalk in the grates. Once heated this is practically inexhaustible from combustion and gives out great heat. Place the chalk at the back of each of your fires in nearly equal proportions with the coal. Full satisfaction will be felt both as to the cheerfulness and as to the warmth of the fire, and the saving throughout the winter will be at the rate of 25 per cent.—Exchange.

Make use of time while it is present with you. It depends upon your will and not upon the number of days to have a sufficient length of life.—Montaigne.

What is nicer for a wedding or birthday present than an artistic picture.

"Doubt is the vestibule which all must pass before they can enter the temple of wisdom."

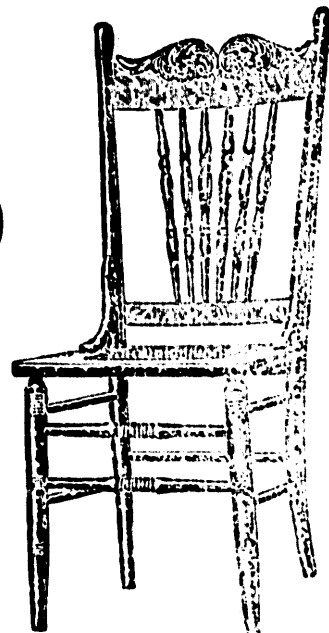
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